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Part II—Section 2

Notifications or Orders of interest to a Section of the public issued by Secretariat Departments.

NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

No. II(2)/NR/668(a)/2026.

[NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT - DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY AND MINING - DEPARTMENTAL TESTS FOR TAMIL NADU GEOLOGY AND MINING SUBORDINATE SERVICE - MINES AND MINERALS ACTS AND RULES TESTS - PAPERS AND SYLLABUS - MODE OF EXAMINATION - WITH BOOKS - AMENDMENT - ORDERS - ISSUED.]

The following Government Order is Published:-

[G.O. Ms. No.25, Natural Resources (E.1), 1st September 2026,
ஆவணி 15, பராபவ, திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு–2057.]

READ :

1. G.O.(Ms)No.74, Natural Resources (E.1) Department, dated 23.09.2025.
2. The Controller of Examinations, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, Chennai, Letter No.1255/DTD-A1/2025, dated 07.10.2025.
3. From the Director of Geology and Mining, Letter Rc.No.7010/PM1/2016, dated 09.02.2026.

Order: No. 25, Natural Resources, dated 1st September 2026.

In the Government Order 1st read above, orders have been issued to the effect that every person appointed as Assistant Geologists in the Department of Geology and Mining among other tests, shall within the period of probation pass the tests specified therein. In the said Government Order, it has also been ordered prescribing the mode of examination, test code, minimum of pass mark, syllabus and duration of the examination for each tests.

The Notification appended to the said Government Order has also been published in the *Tamil Nadu Goverment Gazette* vide Notification No.II(2)NR/1016(e)2025, dated 23.09.2025

2. Based on the request of Controller of Examination, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission and the Director of Geology and Mining in the letters 2nd and 3rd read above, the Government have decided to issue amendment to the Notification issued with Government Order 1st read above and order accordingly.

3. The Notifications appended to this order shall be published in the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette*.

AMENDMENT

In the said Notification, in the table under the heading, namely (i) Name of the Test / Mode of Examination / Test Code, in column (3) against the Sl.No.1,2 and 3 for the expression "Descriptive", the expression "Descriptive (with Books)" shall respectively be substituted

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